

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Yu-Chin Lai et al.

Serial No.: 10/004,418

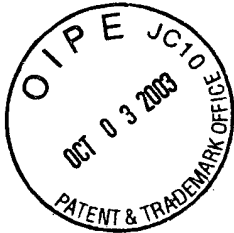
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Honorable Sir:

Applicant herein respectfully requests in this petition a two (2) month extension of time as set forth in 37 CFR 1.136(a), from August 21, 2003 to October 21, 2003 within which to respond to the Office Action mailed May 21, 2003 regarding the above-identified application.

Please charge the required non-small entity two month extension fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2) as well as any additional required fee to deposit account 02-1425. Triplicate copies of this petition are submitted herewith for billing purposes.

Should you have any questions regarding this communication, please feel free to contact me at (636) 226-3340.

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Respectfully submitted,

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